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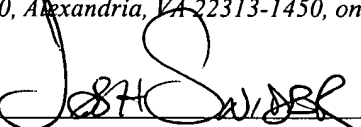
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### AMENDMENT C

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Dear Sir:

In further response to the final Office Action mailed August 2, 2005, in response to the Advisory Action mailed December 5, 2005, and pursuant to the Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: